SOUTH MASTERS CREEK FIELD 00-491

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY**, **JULY 11**, **2000**, upon the application of **SWIFT ENERGY COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Austin Chalk Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the South Masters Creek Field, Vernon and Rapides Parishes Louisiana.

- 1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize a substitute unit well for the AUS C RA SUR in exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1427, effective September 1997.
- 2. To find that this well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the unit which cannot be drained by any existing well within such unit.
- 3. Except to the extent herein designated, to continue in full force and effect the provisions of the 1427 and 1427-A Series of Office of Conservation Orders, the units created thereby and applicable Statewide Orders.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Austin Chalk Zone, Reservoir A, in the South Masters Creek Field, Vernon and Rapides Parishes, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1427, effective September 9, 1997.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 6/22/00;6/27/00

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES</u>, <u>PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.